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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner: Patrick T. Lewis

In re Application of: Hizukui et al.

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For: PROCESS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF L-ARABINOSE BY ACIDIC

HYDROLYSIS (Continuation)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed June 14, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as shown.

Also enclosed is our firm's check in the amount of \$180 for the attached Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

If any Extension of Time or additional fees for the accompanying response are required, Applicants request that this be considered a Petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required to Deposit Account 501923.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page $\underline{2}$ of this response.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this response.

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